AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 13, the second full paragraph is amended as follows:

Also, D/A converters 4_{FL}, 4_{FR}, 4_C, 4_{RL}, 4_{RR}, 4_{WF} for converting digital outputs D_{FL}, D_{FR}, D_C, D_{RL}, D_{WF} which are signal-processed by the signal processing circuit 2 into analog signals, and amplifiers 5_{FL}, 5_{FR}, 5_C, 5_{RL}, 5_{RR}, 5_{WF} for amplifying respective analog audio signals being output from these D/A converters are provided. Respective analog audio signals SP_{FL}, SP_{FR}, SP_C , SP_{RL} , SP_{RR} , SP_{WF} amplified by these amplifiers are supplied to loudspeakers $5\underline{6}_{FL}$, $5\underline{6}_{FR}$, 56_C, 56_{RL}, 56_{RR}, 56_{WF} on a plurality of channels arranged in a listening room 7, etc., as shown in FIG.7, to sound them.